



A resolution honoring and commending

JESSIE HARRIS

for service to the Committee on Equal Opportunities

WHEREAS, the Council's Committee on Equal Opportunities has greatly benefited from the service of Jesse Harris since March 2004 because of his passion, knowledge and commitment to the Commonwealth and to Postsecondary education; and

WHEREAS, Jesse's service on the Committee on Equal Opportunities ended December 31, 2008; and

WHEREAS, his service to the Committee on Equal Opportunities is one example of a career dedicated to enriching the lives of Kentuckians; and

WHEREAS, Jesse has contributed time, energy, and passion to postsecondary education; and

WHEREAS, Jesse is a strong advocate for access and equity inspiring others to rise to new challenges, and his patience, although challenged at times, was never found lacking; and

WHEREAS, the people of Kentucky are deeply indebted to him for choosing to use his gifts to help solve problems, lift hopes, and build futures in the education arena; and

WHEREAS, the members of the Committee on Equal Opportunities will miss his passion as well as his presence; and

WHEREAS, the Committee on Equal Opportunities is heartened by the knowledge that even though his formal service has ended, Jesse Harris always will be a valued colleague in the cause of access and equity;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Council on Postsecondary Education Committee on Equal Opportunities hereby adopts this resolution February 16, 2009, thanking Jesse Harris for his dedication and service to the Committee on Equal Opportunities and his commitment to improving the lives of Kentuckians.

